

REMARKS

With regard to the amendment to the specification at page 14, this change has been made to correct a typographical error. Support for this change is clearly set forth as illustrated in Figure 7, step 720.

Claim 10 has been amended to overcome the objections set forth in paragraph 3. In this regard, first and second unique IDs have been clarified and consistent throughout the claim, "wherein" has been substituted for "said information". The location where the database is stored is specifically identified and is distinct from the first location where the scanning occurs. There is now consistency between the storage location and the first location in the claim. Also, the last portion of claim 10 has been amended to clarify the invention and correct any grammatical errors that may have been present.


The Examiner has also objected to the claims and specification as introducing new matter. In this regard, Applicant respectfully submits that no new matter has been added as currently set forth by independent claim 10. In particular, Applicant refers the Examiner to the following portions of the specification. In particular, beginning at page 8, lines 8 et al. specifically describe the diagram for printing and verifying the authentication of documents. As can be seen, there is the ability for capturing an image by camera 220 of the individual 130 at location 190 which can be transmitted to the remote location 145 and viewed on a monitor 100 (see page 9, line 9, and page 10, lines 12-16). It also can be seen that the information can be stored at memory 95 on server 110 (see page 9, lines 1-15). It is also set forth at page 10, lines 10 and 11 the system of Figure 3 can be operated in a number of other ways in accordance with the present invention. Thus, it is clear the present invention is not limited to one particular operation. As further set forth on page 10, lines 10-23, unique IDs and identifying location number are electronically transmitted from computer 200 to the server 110 at the central location 150. This information is used for verifying information at the central location. Thus, it is respectfully submitted that all the aspects of the invention as currently set forth are fully disclosed in the application. Claim 10, as currently set forth, specifically provides an authentication document which includes first and second indicia which are not visible under normal viewing conditions (see page 10, lines 10-24 for support). Page 10 also sets forth

that the scanned information is sent to the remote location and is used for confirming the information thereon.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully submits that the rejection under 35 USC § 112, first paragraph, is not applicable and the claim as present is amply supported by the specification.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully submits that the claim in its present form is in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested.

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